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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 23, 1896.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. PETTIGREW, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, submitted the following

R E P O R T:

[To accompany S. 167.]

The Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 167) for the relief of John O'Keane, of the State of Washington, submit the following report:

The bill proposes to pay John O'Keane, of the State of Washington, the sum of \$125 for services performed by him as farmer in charge of the Tulalip Indian Agency, in the State of Washington, from the 1st day of October, 1882, to the 31st day of October, 1882.

There is no dispute about the fact that he performed the service from the 1st day of October, 1882, to the 20th day of October, 1882, although he has not been paid for the same, but the Commissioner of Indian Affairs claims that he is not entitled to pay from the 20th day of October to the 31st day of October, 1882.

It appears to the satisfaction of the committee that Mr. O'Keane's name was borne on the official list of employees of said agency as farmer in charge from October 1 to October 31, 1882, and that he performed the services and is entitled to the sum of \$125 as compensation for said services.

The committee therefore recommend the passage of the bill.